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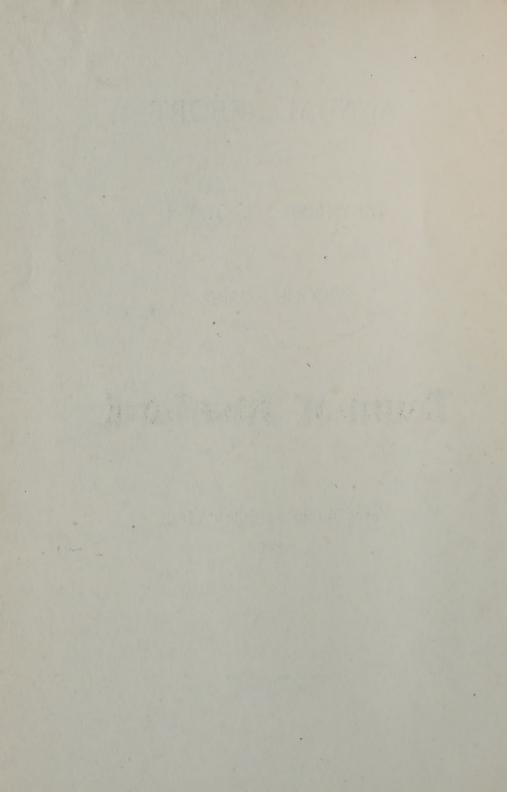
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# SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

### To the Citizens of Strafford :

The selectmen respectfully submit the following report for the year ending February 15th, 1900.

### VALUATION OF THE TOWN, APRIL 1st, 1899.

Land and buildings,	\$350,772
No. of polls, 308,	30,800
" horses, 385,	15,885
" oxen, 55,	3,410
" cows, 776,	19,292
" neat stock, 271,	5,602
" sheep, 300,	891
" carriages, 2,	100
Stock in banks,	2,000
Money on hand and at interest,	1,925
Stock in trade,	13,380
Mills and machinery,	3,950
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\$448,007

### APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1899.

Schools, by law,		\$1,165 00
" vote of town,		500 00
Highways,		3,000 00
Town expenses,		2,000 00
County tax,		1,629 30

State tax,	\$990 25
Memorial,	50 00
Public library,	69 90
Per cent added,	45 58

\$9,450 03

### PAID FOR SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Daniel S. Woodman, treasurer school board,	\$ 800 00
Daniel S. Woodman, "	1,124 66
Hiram S. Hill, supplies, bill April 20, '99,	26 40
Hiram S. Hill, " bill April 28, '99,	18 50
C. E. Brewster Co., supplies,	8 00
Ginn & Co., "	27 00
American Book Co., "	106 21
Daniel S. Woodman, freight on school supplies,	2 33

\$2,113 10

### PAID FOR LABOR ON HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Charles E. Evans, on 18	898 acco	unt.	]	\$ 11 50
Joseph Hill,	"			1 58
David O. Libby, work	to March	31, '99,	1	1,007 01
Nelson B. Sewards,	"	27, '99,	}	21 16
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				\$1,041 25
David O. Libby, work	to April	30, '99,		$128 \ 32$
George U. Ricker, "	66	8, '99,		6 82
M. J. Webster, "		13, '99,		17 98
Hartwell Peabody, "	"	7, '99,		9 63
Charles O. Canney, "	"	66		10 69
John S. Libby, "				2 50

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Henry R. Foss, work			1, '99,	\$34	
Samuel E. Avery,	"	"	66		81
Irving Howard,	"	66	"		29
Henry G. Bunker,	66		66		28
David O. Libby,	66	"	66		00
Fred A. Scruton,	"	66	"	•	43
Geo. E. Woodman,	66		66		37
Charles S. Hanson,	"	"	"	8	69
Natt J. Hanson,	"	"	66	9	62
Almon F. Foss,	"	July	1, '99,	29	00
E. J. Parshley,	66	66	46	51	88
Albert C. Berry,	"	66	"	15	31
Samuel V. Gray,	"	66	66	32	21
Clarence E. Parsons,	"	66 .	66	42	13
Charles E. Evans,	"	66		50	37
Samuel E. Avery,	"	66	66	27	27
Abram P. Otis,			66	15	42
Charles F. Hill,	66	66	66	23	17
Elmer Clark,	66	66	66	17	16
Elmer A. Scribner,	66	66	66	20	00
Horace W. Evans,	66	66	66	37	57
Hartwell Peabody,	66	66	66	14	37
George H. Little,		66	66	16	60
George U. Ricker,	66	66	"	Mainwa 9 . 0 7	50
John S. Leighton,	"	66	66	22	50
L. A. Rewitzer,	"	66	66	12	80
C. G. Drew,		66	66	. 31	87
C. S. Hanson,	"	66	66		00
George A. Canney,	"	66	66	40	52
0	827	feet bri	dge plank		) 33
		to July			64
Henry G. Bunker,	66	66			3 00
Daniel H. Scruton,	"	66	66		87
Samuel V. Gray,		"	24, '99,		5 00
George H. Little,					3 20
John S. Leighton,	66	Ano	. 4, '99,		20
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C. G. Drew, work to July 24, '99,	\$ 5 49
Henry R. Foss, "Aug. 5, '99,	8 87
Almon F. Foss, " " 1, '99,	9 87
C. F. Garland, " " 5, '99,	1 74
C. A. Hall, """""	35 00
Jesse B. Gray, " " "	10 74
James H. Stiles, "Sept. 2, '99,	52 49
Charles F. Hill, " " "	11 66
John P. Webber, " " "	11 86
William A. Brown, " " "	73 36
Daniel H. Scruton, " " "	9 93
Elmer Clark, " " "	44 48
C. S. Hanson, " " "	64 76
Geo. E. Woodman, " " "	8 00
Joseph Hill, " " "	21 72
Abram P. Otis, " " "	4 14
H. W. Evans, " " "	5 63
Albert A. Hanson, " " "	54 68
Henry G. Bunker, " " "	24 25
Fred A. Scruton, " " "	24 91
Irving Howard, " " " "	12 62
Luther C. Critchett, " Oct. 7, '99,	62 44
C. F. Garland, " " "	13 37
Almon F. Foss, "" " "	10 49
Geo. E. Woodman, " " "	14 37
C. G. Drew, " " "	15 49
L. A. Rewitzer, " " "	15 90
George U. Ricker, " " "	2 75
E. R. Smith, " " "	58 81
E. R. Smith, work and railing bridge,	7 50
J. F. Ramsdell,	3 48
E. J. Parshley, work to Oct. 7, '99,	22 61
Natt J. Hanson, work to Nov. 4, '99,	15 98
Albert C. Berry, work to Oct. 7, '99,	21 99
C. G. Drew, work on new road to Oct. 21, '99,	25 98
Elmer A. Scribner, work to Nov. 4, '99,	37 07

Frank P. Currier, work,	\$ 2 12
Horace W. Evans, work to Nov. 4, '99,	10 35
Albert A. Hanson, work to Aug. 23, '99,	13 27
Jesse B. Gray, work to Dec. 2, '99,	4 72
C. G. Drew, work on new road to Nov. 20, '99,	6 4 9
C. E. Evans, work to Nov. 25, 99,	8 49
Fred A. Scruton, work to Dec. 1, '99,	11 66
James H. Stiles, "	34 09
Jacob W. Foss, work to Dec. 2, '99,	16 62
Samuel V. Gray, work to Jan. 5, 1900,	8 35
Charles A. Hall, . "	18 50
Henry R. Foss, "	2 25
Henry G. Bunker, "	9 07
Fred A. Scruton, "	6 52
Joseph Hill, work to Jan. 15, 1900,	18 50
C. W. Waldron, 851 feet bridge plank,	10 20
Samuel V. Gray, work to Feb. 3, 1900,	3 00
Almon F. Foss, "	2 50
John P. Webber, "	5 87
Abram P. Otis, "	3 82
J. F. Ramsdell, work to Nov. 4, '99,	80
C. G. Drew, work to Feb. 12, 1900,	8 96
Hartwell Peabody, "	1 56
George U. Ricker, "	2 01
George H. Little, "	2 81
Charles F. Hill, "	4 25
J. F. Ramsdell, "	72
C. W. Waldron, 680 feet bridge plank,	8 16
E. A. Scribner, work to Feb. 12, 1900,	4 75
Paul Perkins, work and plank,	3 60
L. C. Critchett, work to Feb. 15, 1900,	3 88
S. E. Avery, work in 1898,	20  35

\$3,018 12

# NEW ROAD.

Worcester, Gafney, and Snow, plaintiff's costs an	d
interest.	\$ 539 42
George J. Foster, printing notice for proposals,	2 00
The Rochester Courier Co., " " "	1 25
W. E. Wiggin, land damages,	211 00
Samuel D. Berry, "	21 34
Solomon D. Berry, "	53 15
George Varney, "	23 43
Abram P. Otis, "	1 00
Plummer Johnson, "	6 20
Azariah & Edrick I.Foss, "	12 20
Edrick I. Foss, "	116 40
J. Lewis Stiles, "	67 33
G. W. Foss Heirs, "	50 66
George P. Foss, "	44 50
Free Will Baptist Parsonage, "	20 00
James H. Stiles, "	101 20
Fred A. Scruton, one day with W. M. Ames,	1 25
Tuttle & Edgerly, for work,	1,000 00
Fred A. Scruton, making four guide boards,	1 00
Tuttle & Edgerly, for work,	1,800 00
Tuttle & Edgerly, "	1,800 00
Tuttle & Edgerly, "	1,145 00
W. M. Ames, making survey,	4 00
Felker & Gunnison,	160 92
Edrick I. Foss, 6 stringers for bridge,	15 00
W. M. Ames, making survey for fence,	8 75

\$7,207 00

### PAID FOR AID TO POOR.

J. J. Berry, goods del. A. M. Lee Jan. 23, '99,	<b>\$</b> 6 96
E. A. Willand, board of W. P. Burbank 6 weeks,	14  00
H. S. Scruton, digging grave for "	1 50
R. F. Babb, board of W. P. Burbank,	4 71
	\$27.17

### PAID SUNDRY PERSONS FOR SERVICES.

James H. Foss, balance for selectman, 1898 and 1899,	\$10 95
Charles A. Hall, board of health, 1898,	$5 \ 00$
Ella F. Scott, school board, 1898,	25  00
Rufina Parshley, nursing Mrs. C. N. Daniels,	15  00
George W. Boody, balance for selectman, 1898 and	
1899,	3 50
John D. Clark, police, 1898,	10  50
Scott W. Caswell, board of health and ballot clerk,	
1898,	7 00
Mark F. Foss, burying horse,	$2 \ 00$
Levi W. Brown, repair road machine,	3  75
F. P. Roberts, dog constable, 1899,	10 00
Dr. D. W. Hill, fumigating D. Clay's house and	
return births and deaths,	650
Dr. A. M. Fernald, return births and deaths,	1 25
Dana L. Drew, supervisor, 1899,	10 00
Fred A. Scruton, taking selectmen to Northwood,	1.00
Frank E. Scruton, auditor, 1898,	1 50
Daniel S. Woodman, school board, 1899,	25  00
" treasurer school board, 1899,	5  00
S. E. Avery and others, fighting fire and work on	
road,	9 28
Dr. C. W. Hanson, birth and death reports,	75
Dr. A. M. Fernald, "	75
66 66 66	50

Elmer Clark, in part for town clerk, 1899,	\$ 25 00
George E. Foss, supervisor, 1899,	10 00
Samuel D. Berry, keeping fence across new road,	1 50
H. P. Tuttle, watching fire at Bow Lake house,	
Jan. 26, 1900,	1 50
John S. Libby, police, 1899,	4 00
Dr. N. C. Twombly, board of health, 1899,	10 00
N. C. Lathrop, attending funeral of W. P. Burbank,	$2 \ 00$
James W. Tuttle, tax collector, 1898,	50  00
Elmer Clark, town clerk, 1899,	18  85
Hiram S. Hill, auditor, 1898,	1 50
" treasurer, 1899,	60 00
" school board, 1899,	25  00
C. W. Waldron, selectman, 1899,	$69 \ 65$
C. G. Drew, selectman, 1899,	122  50
A. S. Scruton, selectman, 1899,	72  45
Ella F. Scott, school board, 1899,	25 00

### PAID MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

\$653 18

Whitehouse Bros., watering tub, 1898,	\$ 3 00
J. E. Whitcher, drawback, horse lost,	76
" use of field for road, 1898,	3 00
J. I. Berry, drawback, cow lost, 1898,	47
J. S. Foss, burial permits,	1 20
James W. Tuttle, abatements allowed on list for	
1898,	$57 \ 46$
A. V. Canney, watering tub, 1898,	3 00
James H. Foss, for safe for town treasurer,	$25 \ 00$
The Record Co., printing town reports, 1898,	51  75
Whitehouse Bros., keeping two tramps,	2  00
Mrs. R. W. Foss, public library,	75  00
Silsby & Son, collector's and surveyor's books,	6 08
Worcester, Gafney & Snow, advice in Evans' case,	1 00

Sarah J. Parshley, memorial,	<b>\$</b> 50	
Whitehouse Bros., keeping 1 tramp,	1	00
James W. Tuttle, land sold for taxes and bought		
by town,	132	60
Dr. N. C. Twombly, births and deaths,	· 1	50
" storing road machine,	3	00
Willlam F. Berry, keeping 1 tramp,	1	00
Elmer Clark, stationery for town clerk,	2	35
Edson C. Eastman, receipt book,	2	00
C E. Jenness, drawback, over tax, 1899,	3	80
H. E. Griffin, drawback, over tax, 1898,	3	00
J. L. Whitehouse, keeping 1 tramp,	1	00
S. F. Welsh, watering tub, 1898 and 1899,	6	00
Abram Evans, keeping 1 tramp,	1	00
Mark F. Foss, watering tub, 1899,	3	00
Record Co., printing auction bills,	1	50
D. D. Caswell, watering tub, 1899,	3	00
Mrs. Sarah F. Foss, public library,	110	88
Robert J. Macguire, examining herd of J. C. Hayes,	10	00
E. W. Hill, keeping 4 tramps,	4	00
J. C. Hall, watering tub, 1899,	3	00
Mary E. Collis, drawback, overtax, 1899,	2	11
A. P. Wentworth, watering tub, 1899,	. 3	00
Daniel S. Otis, keeping 1 tramp,	. 1	00
Whitehouse Bros., watering tub, 1899,	3	00
James W. Tuttle, abatement allowed for 1898,	18	42
44 44 A	2	09
J. F. Ramsdell, "	1	90
John S. Gray, keeping 1 tramp,	1	00
C. W. Waldron, keeping 14 tramps,	10	50
F. P. Roberts, keeping 2 tramps,	2	00
D. D. Wentworth, drawback, horses lost, 1898,		95
A. P. Wentworth, watering tub, 1898,		00
G. W. Foss heirs, drawback, overtax, 1898,	60	00

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\$682 32

### PAID NOTES AND INTEREST.

Harry D. Perkins, administrator Martha Perkins,	\$100 00
Aaron W. Foss, interest on Austin fund,	160  00
Sarah Berry, note and interest,	$338 \ 41$
and the second secon	\$598 41

### PAID STATE AND COUNTY TAX.

Solon A. Carter, state tax,	\$ 990 25
George D. Nowell, county tax,	1,629.30
	\$2,619 55

### PAID DAMAGES TO SHEEP BY DOGS.

C. E. Jenness on sheep killed,

\$2 00

### RECAPITULATION OF MONEY PAID OUT.

Schools and school supplies,	\$2,113 10
Highways and bridges,	3,018 12
New road,	7,207 00
Aid to poor,	2717
Sundry persons, for services,	653-18
Miscellaneous bills,	$682 \ 32$
Notes and interest,	$598 \ 41$
State and county tax,	2,619 55
Damage to sheep by dogs,	$2^{\circ}00$
	\$16,920 85
Annual to face and to be a	<b>A A A A A</b>
Amount in treasurer's hands,	\$ 3,923 86
" paid out by treasurer,	16,920 85
	\$20,844 71

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# TOWN OF STRAFFORD TO CYRUS G. DREW, DR.,

### FOR SERVICES AS SELECTMAN.

1899.

100	Э.		
Mar.	4	To one day at office to settle bills,	<b>\$1</b> 50
	7	visiting sick cow at Dennis Winkley's,	1 00
	16	one-half day to J. H. Foss, after town	
		books,	1 00
		one-half day to office to approve treas-	
		urer's bond,	1 00
	27	one day making out inventory blanks,	1 50
	<b>28</b>	66	1 50
	30	one day writing names in inventory	
		book,	1 50
Apr.	1	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
	3	one day taking inventory,	1 50
	4	" "	1 50
	5	6.6	1 50
	6	6.6	1 50
	7	66	1 50
	8	"	1  50
	10	one day to procure nurse for Mrs. C.	
		N. Daniels,	1 50
	11	one day at office, looking up old sur-	
		veyor's books,	1 50
	12	one day at office to appoint surveyors,	1 50
	15	one day at office to receive inventory	
		blanks,	1  50
	17	one day at office to receive inventory	
		blanks,	1 50
	<b>24</b>	one day making taxes,	1 50
	26	66	1 50
	27	66	1 50
	28	66	1 50
May	6	one day at office to settle bills,	1  50
	9	one day at office to appoint collector,	1 50

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May	12	one day at Rochester to get layout of new road,	\$1	00
	15	one day with Tuttle to look over route	¥ -	00
	10	of new road,	1	50
	16	one day putting up hubs on new road,		50
	21	one day making out tax collector's	-	00
	~ L	book,	1	50
	22	one-half day making out tax collect-	-	00
		or's book,		75
	27	one day at office,	1	50
	30	one day to deliver surveyor's books,		50
	31	one day putting tax on inventory	-	00
		books,	1	50
June	1	one day putting tax on inventory	1	00
euno	-	books.	1	50
	2	one-half day putting tax on inventory	-	00
	-	books,		75
	3	one day at office to settle bills,	1	50
	7	one day at office to receive proposals	-	
		for new road,	1	50
	13	one day to Selectman Waldron's to get	-	
		notes signed,	1	50
	14	one day to hire money to build new		
		road,	1	50
	15	one day to Wolfeboro to pay land dam-		
		age to W. E. Wiggin,	1	50
	15	Car fare and dinner,	2	50
	16	one day to Farmington to pay land		
		damages to S. D. Berry,	1	50
	17	one day with horse in town to pay land		
		damages,	2	00
	20	one day to Essex, Mass., to pay land		
		damages to Mrs. Coggswell,	1	50
	20	car fare and dinner,		00
July	1	one day at office to settle bills,		50
	15	66	1	50

Aug. 12 15	one day at office to settle bills,	<b>\$1</b> 50 150
19	one day at office to draw jury and look	1 00
	at new road.	1 50
28	one day to examine new road,	1 50
Sept. 1	one day to accept new road,	1 50
9	one day to I. G. Felker's, after money	
	and to H. S. Hill's,	1 00
22	one day to C. N. Daniels' and looking	
	up back taxes,	1 50
29	one day to perambulate line between	
	Strafford and Barrington,	1 50
30	one day at Rochester to take counsel,	1 00
Oct.	one day to see Devino's cattle,	1 00
7	one day at office to settle bills,	1  50
9	one day at Rochester to get counsel on	
	new road,	1 00
18	one day to perambulate line between	
	Strafford and Northwood,	1 00
25	one day to Northwood,	1 00
Nov. 4	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
6	one day to perambulate line between	
	Farmington and Strafford,	1 50
14	one day to establish fence line on new	
	road,	1 50
15	one day to establish fence line on new	
	road,	1 50
18	one day to sell town meadow,	1  50
25	one-half day to sell town meadow,	1 00
29	one day to Centre Barnstead and J. C.	
	Hayes with veterinary,	1 50
29	horse, Barnstead and J. C. Hayes	
	with veterinary,	1 00
1900.		
Jan. 6	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
13	one-half day at office to draw jury,	1 00

Jan.	15	Cash paid for express on books, sta-		
		tionery, and postage stamps,	\$3	00
	30	one day to make report of fire at Bow		
		Lake,	1	50
Feb.	3	one day at office to settle bills,	1	50
	5	one day preparing account for settle- ment,	1	50
	6	one day preparing account for settle-		
		ment,	1	50
	9	one day preparing account for settle-		
		ment,	1	50
	10	one day preparing account for settle-	-	00
		ment at office,	1	50
	12	one day preparing account for settle-	1	00
	1~	ment at office,	1	50
	13	one day preparing account for settle-	-	00
	10	ment at office,	1	50
	14	one day preparing account for settle-	-	00
	1.T	ment at office,	1	50
	15	one day preparing account for settle-	1	30
	10	ment at office,	1	50
	1.6		1	50
	1.0	one day preparing account for settle-	-	50
	17	ment at office,	1	30
	17	one day preparing account for settle-		50
		ment at office,	1	50
			\$122	50

### TOWN OF STRAFFORD TO CHAS. W. WALDRON, DR.

FOR SERVICES AS SELECTMAN.

1899.

Mar. 18	To one-half day at town house to approve	
	treasurer's bond,	\$1 00
30	one-half day at Charles N. Daniels',	75
April 1	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50

		** **
April 3	one day taking inventory,	\$1 50
4	<u> </u>	1 50
5	<u> </u>	1 50
6	<u></u>	1 50
7	66 .	1 50
12	one day at office to receive inventory	
	blanks,	1 50
15	one day at office to receive inventory	
	blanks,	1  50
17	one day at office to receive inventory	
	blanks,	1 50
<b>22</b>	one day at Barrington to get inven-	
	tory of wood and lumber,	1 50
<b>24</b>	one day at Dover to see county com-	
	missioners,	3 00
May 6	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
9	66	1 50
13	66	1 50
27	one-half day "	1 50
29	one day at office and Rochester,	. 2 50
30	one day to Rochester to get specifica-	
	tions for new road,	250
	Paid express on plan for new road,	40
June 7	one-half day at office,	1 00
July 1	one day at office,	1  50
15	66	1  50
Aug. 5	" to settle bills,	1  50
19	66	1 50
Sept. 2	66 .	1 50
28	one-half day at office to draw jury,	1 00
29	one day perambulating line between	
	Strafford and Barrington,	1 50
Oct. 7	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
25	one day to perambulate line between	
	Strafford and Northwood,	1 50
Nov. 4	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50

Nov.	18	one half day at auction sale of M. K.		۰.
		& L. K. Foss land,	\$	75
	23	one day to Dover for copy of deed of		
		M. K. and L. K. Foss land,		3 00
	23	paid for copy of deed,	]	00
	25	one-half day at adjourned sale of M.		
		K. & L. K. Foss land,		00
Dec.	1	one day at office to settle bills,	1	50
	9	one-half day at office to revise		
		jury box,	]	00
1900	).			
Jan.	6	one day at office to settle bills,	1	50
	13	one-half day at office to draw jury,	1	00
	30	one-half day getting statement of fire		
		at Bow Lake house,		75
Feb.	3	one day at office to settle bills,	]	1 50
	10	one day at office to prepare accounts		
		for settlement,	1	50
	12	one day at office to prepare accounts		
		for settlement,	1	50
	13	one day at office to prepare accounts		
		for settlement,	1	50
	14	one day at office to prepare accounts		
		for settlement,	1	50,
	15	one day at office to prepare accounts		
		for settlement,	1	50
	16	one day at office to close accounts,	1	50
	17	one day at office with auditors,	. 1	50

\$69 65

### TOWN OF STRAFFORD TO ALBION S. SCRUTON, DR.

SERVICES AS SELECTMAN.

1899.		
Mar. 18	To one-half day at office to approve treasurer's bond,	\$ 75
28	one-half day to notify C. G. Drew of	
	complaints entered of C. N.	
	Daniels,	75
· 29	one-half day to get counsel in C. N.	.0
20	Daniels case,	75
30	one-half day to C. N. Daniels',	75
April 1	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
арні і З	one day taking inventory,	$150 \\ 150$
4	one day taking inventory,	1 50 1 50
± 5	× 66	$1 50 \\ 1 50$
6	<u> </u>	1 50 1 50
7	"	$150 \\ 150$
8	"	1 50 1 50
10	one day with team to procure maid for	1 00
10	Mrs. C. N. Daniels,	3 00
11	one day at office to adjust inventory,	1 50
11		1 00
12	one day at office to appoint highway	1 50
15	surveyors,	1 00
15	one day at office to receive inventory	1 50
1.57	blanks,	1 00
. 17	one day at office to receive inventory	1 50
0.0	blanks,	1 50
26	one-half day at Rochester to notify	
	Elliott Bros. to remove wood from	
	road,	75
May 6	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50 .
8	one day with team after plan of new	~ ~ ~ ~
	road,	250
9	one day at office to sign surveyors'	
	books,	1 50

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May 13	one day at office to prepare specifica-	
	tions for new road,	\$1 50
25	one day over new road with bidders,	1 50
29	one day at office to prepare collector's	
	book, &c.	1 50
30	one day with counsel making contracts	
	for new road,	1 50
June 3	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
7	one day to open bids for new road,	1 50
15	one day to Wolfboro to pay land	
`	damages, car fare and dinner,	3 80
17	one day to pay land damages in town,	$1 \ 50$
24	one-half day over new road,	75
July 1	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
10	one-half day over new road,	75
15	one day over new road and at office,	1  50
Aug. 5	one day at office to settle bills,	1  50
25 )	one day over new road,	1 50
Sept. 1	one day to accept new road,	1 50
2	one day at office to settle bills,	1  50
5	one day with team to take Wm. P.	
	Burbank to county farm,	3 00
9	one-half day to open new road and	
	deposit with town treasurer,	75
28	one-half day at office to draw jury,	75
29	one day perambulating line between	
	Strafford and Barrington,	1 50
Oct. 18	one-half day to send undertaker for	
	body of Wm. P. Burbank,	75
19	one day preparing for burial of Wm.	
	P. Burbank,	1  50
Nov. 4	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
6	one day perambulating line between	
	Strafford and Farmington,	1 50
16	one-half day perambulating line	
	between Strafford and Rochester,	75

Nov. 18 Dec. 2 1900.	one-half day at sale of town meadow,	\$ <b>7</b> 5 1 50
Jan. 6	66	1 50
13	one-half day at office to draw jury,	75
Feb. 3	one day at office to settle bills,	1 50
12		
	six-tenths day at office to settle town accounts,	90
•		
		\$72 45
MONEY	RECEIVED AND RECEIPTED F	OR BY
HII	RAM S. HILL, TREASURER FOR 18	399.
Amount re	eccived of J. J. Perry, Treasurer 1898,	\$2,371 74
	J. W. Tuttle, Collector, 1898,	1,523 90
	J. W. Tuttle Collector, Interest,	·
	1898,	25  49
	Elmer Clark, license on dogs,	125  40
	James H. Foss on Tuttle's list,	186 90
	Solon A. Carter, savings bank	
	tax,	1,095 85
	Solon A. Carter, literary fund,	117 42
	Cyrus G. Drew, back taxes,	194  85
	Ella F. Scott, books sold,	2  09
•	Cyrus G. Drew on Tuttle and	
	Scribner's list,	22  06
	E. A. Scribner, collector, 1899,	7,400 89
	Selectman, by notes,	7,365  00
	Cyrus G. Drew, back taxes,	154  18
	" overdrawn by	
	David O. Libby, on W. A.	
	Brown's bill,	22 94

Cyrus G. Drew, grass on town meadow, 500

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Amount received of Cyrus G. Drew, overdrawn by	
D. O. Libby on Elmer Clark's	
bill,	<b>\$</b> 1.00
Cyrus G. Drew, town meadow,	215  00
from C. N.	
Daniels to pay Mrs. Parsh-	
ley,	15 00
	\$20,844 71
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# OUTSTANDING DEBTS, FEB. 15th, 1900.

Kesiah Evans,	notes and interest, second such	\$ 746.04
Martha A. Perkins,	66	636  54
Harry D. Perkins,	66	427  84
D. D. Caswell,	6.6	1,060.90
W. H. Perkins,	4.6	106 09
L. S. Caswell,	6.6	212  18
S. W. Caswell,	6.6	642  75
N. C. Twombly,	66	$679 \ 65$
Hannah E. Foss,	<u> </u>	$734 \ 39$
D. D. Caswell,	66	306 20
Tobias Brock,	66	612  10
Marston W. Brock,	66	306  05
Ann M. Brock,	<b>66</b>	$102 \ 01$
George L. Day,		356 53
Jennie L. Babb,	4.6	$458 \ 39$
Emily A. Waldron,	66	$560\ 26$
Hannah E. Foss,	66	1,018 66
Mary S. Pease,	66	1,017 50
Gorham T. Foss,	<u> </u>	609 50
Livonia Foss,	66	152  37
S. E. Canny,	66	$380 \ 49$
Benjamin P. Berry,	<i></i>	$243 \ 26$
Sarah L. Otis,	66	304  07
Mrs. J. J. Woodma	n, "'	50 67

Lovell F. Berry, notes and interest,	\$ 405 20
Lovell W. Berry, and the state of the state	202 60
Isaac G. Felker, the end of the second structure production	405 20
Esther J. Bunker, "	228 79
Esther J. Bunker, " " " " " " " " " " " "	344 09
School District No. 11, before annexed to No. 10,	$28 \ 61$
Austin Fund,	4,160 00
,	\$17 498 93

### AMOUNT DUE THE TOWN FEBRUARY 15th, 1900.

Real estate sold for taxes and not redeemed, C.	
Shaw list, 1888,	<b>\$</b> 19 29
Real estate sold for taxes and not redeemed, C.	
Shaw list,	16 20
Real estate sold for taxes and not redeemed, J. W.	
Tuttle list, 1895,	86 01
Real estate sold for taxes and not redeemed, J. L.	
Hall list, 1896,	
Real estate sold for taxes and not redeemed, E. A.	
Scribner list, 1897, Real actate cold for target and not redeemed. J. W.	$273\ 12$
Real estate sold for taxes and not redeemed, J. W. Tuttle list, 1898,	72 81
Amount on E. A. Scribner's list, 1899, not	
collected,	2,087 31
Amount in hands of treasurer,	3,923 86
a mount in hours of from afor,	
	\$6,496 99
Total debts against the town Feb. 15th, 1900,	\$17,498 93
" due the town Feb. 15th, 1900,	6,496 99
Balance against the town Feb. 15th, 1900,	\$11,001 94
Balance " 1899,	5,208 42
Data100 1000	
Increase of town debt, 1899,	\$5,793 52

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Although we show an increase of the town debt of \$5,793 52, taking into consideration the cost of the new road, \$7,207, we have made a net gain of \$1,413 48.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRUS G. DREW, CHARLES W. WALDRON, ALBION S. SCRUTON,

Selectmen of Strafford.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JAMES H. FOSS, CHARLES F. HILL,

Auditors.

STRAFFORD, Feb. 17, 1900.

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# TREASURER'S REPORT.

In compliance with the law the following report of the Treasurer of the town of Strafford for the financial year ending Feb. 15, 1900, is respectfully submitted:

### RECEIPTS.

Cash received from J. J. Perry, treas	surer, 1898, \$2,371 74
James W. Tut	ttle, collector,
1898,	1,523 90
James W. Tut	ttle, collector,
interest,	25  49
James H. Foss, ta	axes and interest
on Tuttle's list	t, 186 90
Elmer Clark, lice	ense on dogs, 125 40
Solon A. Carter,	savings bank
tax,	1,095 85
Solon A. Carter,	literary fund, 117 42
Cyrus G. Drew,	back taxes, 194 85
Ella F. Scott, bo	ooks sold, 2 09
Cyrus G. Drew,	taxes on Scrib-
ner and Tuttle	e's lists, 22 06
E. A. Scribner, o	
Selectmen by not	tes, 7,365 00
Cyrus G. Drew	v, back taxes,
overdrawn by	D. O. Libby,
and grass on to	own meadow, 183 12
Cyrus G. Drew,	sale of town
meadow,	215  00
Cyrus G. Drev	
Daniels, to p	pay the Rufina
Parshley bill,	15 00
	200 244 71

\$20,844 71

### AMOUNT PAID OUT BY TREASURER, BY ORDER FROM THE SELECTMEN.

Schools and school supplies,	\$2,113 10
Highways and bridges,	$3,018\ 12$
New road,	7,207.00
Aid to the poor,	27  17
Sundry persons for services,	653-18
Miscellaneous bills,	682 32
Notes and interest,	$598 \ 41$
State and county tax,	2,619 55
Damage to sheep by dogs,	2 00
	\$16,920 85

### SUMMARY.

Total receipts to date,		\$20,844 71
Total disbursements to date,	\$16,920 85	
Balance in treasurer's hands,	3,923 86	
		\$20,844 71

### HIRAM S. HILL, Treasurer.

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# Annual Report

OF THE

# SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE

# DISTRICT

OF THE

# Town of Strafford,

FOR THE

Year Ending February 15th, 1900.

# REPORT.

### To the Citizens of Strafford:

The annual report of the condition of the public schools of Strafford for the year ending February 15, 1900, is hereby respectfully submitted:

During the year there have been two terms of ten and twelve weeks respectively.

Sixteen different teachers have been employed.

We are satisfied that the teachers have very generally tried to do their best, and for the most part satisfactory results have been obtained.

If satisfaction was not given in most of the schools, it is believed that the result must have been due to a want of coöperation on the part of parents, or to some cause other than a lack of interest on the part of teachers.

Somewhere we have seen the following, which so aptly describes our throughts at this time we present it: "As the family, so will be the school, so far as any influence is exerted. As believes the father or mother, so acts the boy or girl when they come, with the impress of home upon them, into the school room." Let us urge, then, upon the parents of our school children, the importance, the absolute necessity, of encouraging both teacher and pupils.

Do not condemn, do not even criticise, the school you have never seen.

Teach your children obedience at school, as well as at home. Let them understand that for a just reproof or chastisement at school they shall have no false sympathy. Aid your children at home. Speak of the school as a pleasant thing. Allow no trivial object to keep children from the school room. Sympathize with them in their trials and efforts for improvement. Do this, and you will contribute to the success of the teachers, to the progress of your children, and to the permanent good of the schools in town.

> DANIEL S. WOODMAN, ELLA F. SCOTT, HIRAM S. HILL,

> > School Board of Strafford.

No. of Term.	TEACHERS.	Wages per Month.	No. Scholars.	Average Attendance.	Reading.	Spelling.	Penmanship.	A rithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Physiology.	Book-Keeping.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Philosophy.	(.omnosition
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# ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

### DISTRICT No. 1.

First Term—Edgar A. Brock, William J. Stanton, Sarah A. Howard, Mildred B. Howard, Lydia M. Parshley, Florence E. Parshley, Iness V. Scruton, Thetis V. Scruton, Ora E. Stanton.

Second Term-Edgar A. Brock, Iness V. Scruton, Thetis V. Scruton.

### DISTRICT NO. 3.

First Term—Ellsworth Berry, Frank E. Yeaton, John Y. Scruton, Bertha E. Scruton, Ardena M. Scruton, Flossie G. Scruton, Susie B. Scruton, Hattie H. Scruton.

Second Term—Flossie G. Scruton, Ardena M. Scruton, Bertha E. Scruton, Susie B. Scruton, Hattie H. Scruton, John Y. Scruton, Ellsworth H. Berry, Charlie T. Moulton, Frankie E. Yeaton.

### DISTRICT No. 4.

First Term—Melvin A. Davis, Frankie R. Jones, James A. Knights, Bertha E. Canney, Georgia A. Ricker.

Second Term-Melvin A. Davis, James A. Knights.

### DISTRICT No. 5.

First Term-Reuben Avery, Mertie Webster, George Webster, Ernest Webster, Abbie Clark, Addie Clark.

Second Term-Reuben Avery, Abbie K. Clark, Addie H. Clark.

#### DISTRICT No. 7.

First Term—Earlon E. Foss, Charles Winkley, Roscoe Winkley.

Second Term-Roscoe E. Winkley.

#### DISTRICT No. 9.

First Term—Elva M. Stiles, Stella A. Libby, Lona S. Libby, Raymond Foss, Edgar H. Hawkins, William H. Hawkins.

Second Term-William H. Hawkins, Stella A. Libby, Lona S. Libby, Alva M. Stiles, Floris E. Smith, Grance L. Berry.

### DISTRICT No. 10.

First Term—Florence A. Foss, Emma A. Huckins, Edgar H. Foss, Clarence D. Huckins, Frank P. Meader.

Second Term-Emma A. Huckins, Florence A. Foss, Della Rowe, Edgar H. Foss.

#### DISTRICT No. 12.

\* First Term—Alice M. Gray, Ethel Gray, Willie E. Rowe. Second Term—Willie E. Rowe.

### DISTRICT No. 13.

First Term—Florence L. Drew, Clarence H. Small, Arthur G. Small, Bertha F. Small, George M. Tasker, Arthur H. Tasker, Leslie R. Tasker, Alice M. Tasker.

Second Term—Arthur G. Small, Clarence H. Small, Arthur H. Tasker, George M. Tasker, Leslie R. Tasker, Alice E. Tasker, Belle L. Varney.

### DISTRICT No. 15.

First Term—Angie Alice Whicher, Harrold P. Whicher. Second Term—G. Waldo Browne, Harrold P. Whicher, Angie A. Whicher.

### DISTRICT No. 17.

First Term—Bert L. Tompson, Edson J. Clark. Second Term—Bert L. Tompson.

### DISTRICT No. 18.

First Term—Lillian A. Brown, Mary A. Brown, Minnie E. Tuttle, Annie L. Daniels.

Second Term—Lillian A. Brown, Mary A. Brown, Gladdis H. Brown, Annie L. Daniels, Bessie A. Leighton, Hattie M. • Merrison, Annie E. Tuttle.

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### DISTRICT No. 19.

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First Term—Lena V. Waldron, Etta S. Waldron. Second Term—Bennie B. Harvell, Wyman R. Shaw.

### TREASURER'S REPORT.

### OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE TOWN OF STRAFFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15th, 1900.

Money received and receipted for by Daniel S. Woodman, treasurer of the school district of the town of Strafford, for the year ending Feb. 15th, 1900.

Received from I	H. S. Hill,	treasurer,	for	year		
ending Feb.	15th, 1899,	1.2.2.2.2.2.2			\$ 160 4	9
1899.		e e de la serie				
July 1st, received	from town	treasurer,	1.		800 0	0
Dec. 2d,	6.61				1,124 6	6
					\$2,085 1	.5

Money paid out by Daniel S. Woodman, treasurer of the school district of the town of Strafford for the year ending Feb. 15, 1900.

TEACHERS-SPRING TERM.

School No.	1	Mabelle A. Hall,	<b>1</b> 1 we	eks a	t \$6	00,	\$66 00
	3	Sadie L. Scruton,	10	66	- 5	50,	55  00
	4	Lilla B. Foss,	.10	66	5	50,	55  00
	5	Annie M. Hayes, '	10	66	5	50,	55 00
	7	Annie L. Brown,	10	6.6	5	50,	55  00
	9	Myra E. Huckins,	10	66	5	50,	55  00
	10	Lizzie J. Hill,	10	66	6	00,	60 00
	12	C. Thester Avery,	10	66	<u>`</u> 3	75,	37  50
	13	Annie F. Jones,	10	66	6	00,	60 00
	14	Edith D. Piper,	10	66	5	50,	55  00
	17	Nellie W. Hilton,	10	66	-7	00,	70 00
	18	Minerva R. Perry,	10	66	-7	00,	70  00
	19	M. Blanche Berry,	10	6.6	5	50,	55  00

\$748 50

### TEACHERS-FALL TERM.

School No. 1 Mabelle	e A. Hall,	12 v	veeks at	\$6	00,	\$72	00
3 Lilla B.	Foss,	12	66 .	5	50,	66	00
4 Myra E	. Huckins,	$\cdot 12$	46	- 5	50,	66	00
5 Annie I	M. Hayes,	12	66	5	50,	66	00
7 Grace	G. R. Berry,	12	66	5	50,	66	00
9 May L.	Parshley,	12	6.6	5	50,	66	00
10° Jennie	S. Thomas,	12	6.6	5	50,	66	00
12 Annie I	L. Brown,	12	66	5	50,	66	00
13 Annie I	F. Jones,	$12^{\circ}$	6.6	6	00,	-72	00
14 Edith D	). Piper,	12	66	5	50,	66	00
17 Nellie V	V. Hilton,	12	66	7	00,	84	00
18 Minerva	a R. Perry,	12	"	$\overline{7}$	00,	84	00
19 M. Blan	nche Berry,	12	- 66	5	50,	66	00
						\$906	00
CONVENING CO	HOLADS TO AN	DEI	NICS NO.				
CONVEYING SC	HOLARS TO AN	DFI	tom sent	, or	•		•
Paid Fred O. Caswell, o	ne scholar, 9	wee	ks, spri	ng			
			-	_		\$11	25
Fred O. Caswell, o	ne scholar, •1	12 v	veeks, f	all			
term, at \$1.25,						15	00
						<b>\$</b> 26	25
	•	. 1					
NEW	V FENCE IN N	0. 1				٥	
Paid G. W. Evans, for	880 feet pine	boa	rds.			<b>\$</b> 10	56
D. D. Hall, for 40	-		,				00
D. S. Woodman, la							20
Manson B. Woodm							70
Zachariah Caswell,	, ,						70
D. S. Woodman, d		s.					80
D. S. Woodman, m	0		ls.				33
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\$32 29

#### REPAIRS.

Paid D. S. Woodman, for lumber and labor on	
steps at school house No. 19,	<b>\$</b> 6 51
C. G. Scott, labor and material, No. 4,	1 75
G. A. Canney, lumber, No. 19,	. 2 62
C. G. Scott, drawing shingle, No. 4,	1 00
D. S. Woodman, 6 lights glass,	. 75
Foss & Osgood, stove pipe, No. 14,	255
C. G. Scott, 14 lbs. nails, No. 4,	56
C. G. Scott, laying $2\frac{1}{2}$ M. shingle, No. 4,	250
G. Harvell, labor on steps, No. 19,	250
H. S. Hill, repairs in Nos. 10 and 15,	1  95
Lovel F. Berry, repairs in No. 7,	60
F. E. Mooney, shingle, No. 4,	6 00
C. M. Hill, oil and glass, No. 10,	1 90

\$31 19

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WOOD BILLS.

Paid Henry R. Foss, 1 cord wood fitted,	\$3 50
W. A. Brown, 1 cord hard wood,	3 50
C. W. Waldron, 6 feet wood,	2.25
Irving Howard, 1 load kindlings,	1 00
E. K. Clark, $1\frac{1}{2}$ cords wood fitted,	3 00
D. S. Woodman, $2\frac{1}{2}$ cords wood,	8 00
C. G. Scott, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord hard wood,	2 00
Chas. W. Waldron, 2 cords wood,	5 50
Eugene M. Foss, fitting wood,	2 25
Lovel F. Berry, 1 cord, fitted,	4 00
John H. Kaseburg, fitting wood,	25

\$35 25

### MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid Hiram S. Hill, supplies,	<b>\$1 1</b> 0
J. W. Cater, supplies,	1 20
Frank H. Hall, supplies,	40
J. J. Perry, supplies,	25
Harriett L. Evans, cleaning school house,	2 00
R. W. Musgrove, supplies,	75
E. Morrill Furniture Co., supplies,	2  10
Ella F. Scott, supplies,	75
D. S. Woodman, supplies,	2  10

#### SUMMARY.

Paid teachers, spring term,	\$748 50
Teachers, fall term,	906 00
Conveying scholars,	26 25
New fence in No. 17,	32 29
Repairs,	31 19
Wood,	35  25
Miscellaneous bills,	10  65
	\$1,790 13
Whole amount received,	\$2,085 15
Whole amount paid out,	1,790 13
Balance on hand to date,	* \$295 02

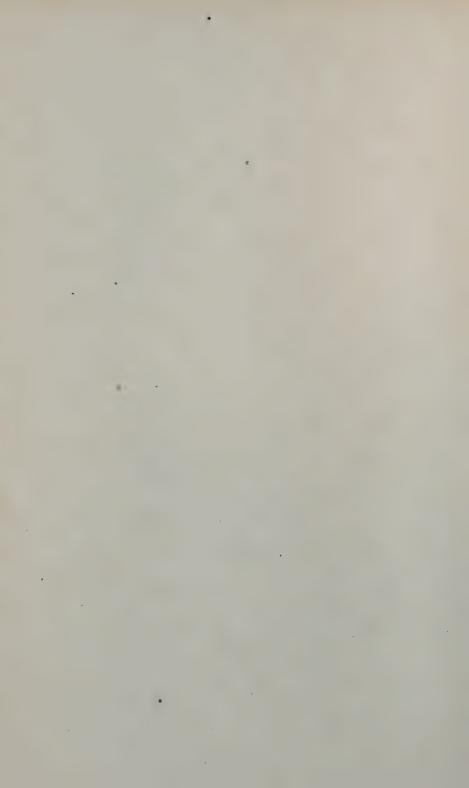
DANIEL S. WOODMAN, Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them properly cast and correctly vouched.

JAMES H. FOSS, CHARLES F. HILL, Auditors.

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### BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRAFFORD, N. H., FROM JAN. 1st, 1899, TO FEB. 14th, 1900.

Date ef Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the <sup>®</sup> Child (if any).	es.	Living or &	Child.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother,	Color of Pa- rents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father,	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father
1898 Aug. 1 1899 Mar. 17 May 1 June 1 Aug.23 Oct. 7 Nov. 17 Nov. 17 Dec. 5 25 1900 Feb. 4		Beulah J. Hill John Gutbore Kenneth F. Hill	M F	L SL::::sL L	1 3 9 2 3 10 1 2 1	Leroy Brown Charles H. Caswell Jessle B. Gray Chas, E. Parshley Edwin W. Hill Willie F. Caverly Joseph Gutbore Bert W. Hatch Eugene M. Foss Charles F. Hill Carrol J. Tilton	Bessie M. Tuttle Laura H. Canney Emma S. Tuttle Mary E. Jewell Jennie C. Griffin Annie Gray Emiclier Gutbore Edith B. Hanson Ida M. Hanson Lizzie I. Leighton Elsie A. Day	W	Strafford " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	Farmer Shoemaker Merchant	Strafford " " " Canada Middleton Strafford Barrington Northwood	Strafford Barrington Strafford " Canada Strafford " " Northwood	33         24           32         28           30         32           40         36           35         31           31         29           41         40           27         19           22         21           27         22           18         19

### MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRAFFORD, N. H., FROM JAN. 1st, 1899, TO FEB. 14th, 1900.

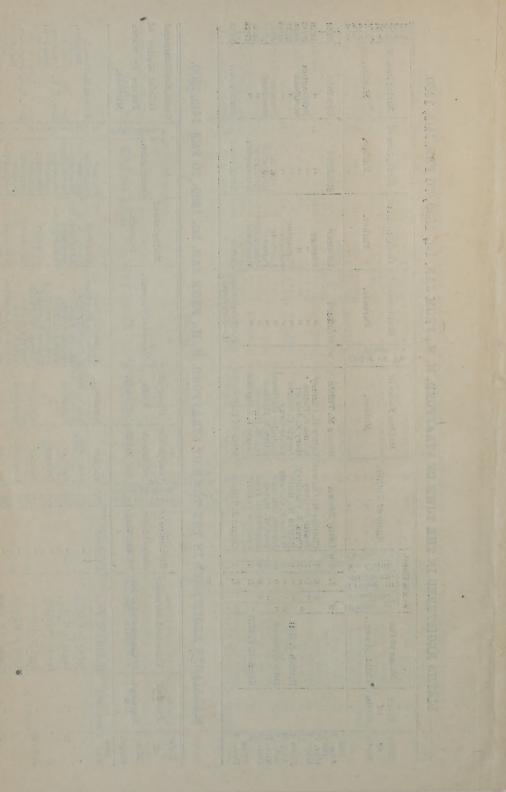
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of	Place of	Name and Surname	Residence of	Ea	Occupation	Place of		Birthplace of		n.*	Official Station of
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riage.			of Marriage.	Age ir Color	and Bride.	of Each.		1 III OII USI		Con	Married.
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May 2	Strafford	Obediah M. Foss	Strafford	80 W	Farmer	Strafford	Nathaniel Foss Rebecca Hawkins	Strafford	Farmer	2	Roscoe E. Foss, j.
		Sarah A. Hayes	46	67	Domestic	Leb'n. Me.	John McCrillis	Stranoru	Farmer	5	Strafford
							Eunice Foss	Lebanon, Me.		0	
21	**	Lewis D. Hill	66	25	Farmer	Strafford	Hiram S. Hill	Strafford	Undertaker	1	
		Ina H. Parshlev	"	22	Domestic	44	Hattie I. Hill Sanborn Parshley	Nottingham	Domestic Farmer	1	Rev. E. K. Amazeen, Strafford
		ina n. i arsniey		22	Domestic	1	Rufina Parshley	Strafford	Domestic	1	Stranord
June 26	**	Bert W. Hatch	66	27	Farmer	Littleton	Orange W. Hatch		Farmer	2	
		Edith B. Hanson			0	04 00 00 00	Martha A. Burt	Littleton	Domestic		Rev. E. K. Amazeen, Strafford
		Edith B. Hanson		19	Domestic	Strafford	Natt J. Hanson Olive A. Leighton	Strafford	Farmer	1	Stranora
28	44	Lorenzo D. Foss	66	69	Farmer	66	Moses Foss		Farmer	2	
							Betsy Foss		Domestic		Rev. N. C. Lothrop,
Dec. 2	Dover	Sadie F. Lydston Frank Gray	Lynn, Mass. Strafford	47 21	Domestic Laborer	46	Edwin Potter Wilson Gray	Stark, Me.	Carpenter	2	Strafford
2000. 2	Dover	Frank Gray	Stranoru	21	Laborer		Nancy O. Gray		Domestic	1	Rev. D. C. Babcock,
		Minnie R. Corson	Dover	20	Stenograp'r	Dover	Leonard Corson	New Durham	Stone Cutt'r	1	Dover
	Strafford	Hammer Canan	Churchter 3	29	Detal	a	Sarah Corson		Domestic		
5	Stranoru	Harry Gray	Strafford	29	Butcher	Strafford	Wilson Gray Nancy O. Gray		Carpenter Domestic	1	Rev. E. K. Amazeen,
		Lou B. Parshley	**	20	Domestic	**	Sanborn Parshley	66	Farmer	1	Strafford
23	"		• "		-		Rufina Parshley		Domestic		
23		Henry W. Hayes		23	Farmer	66	John C Hayes Helen I. Hayes		Farmer Domestic	1	Rev. S. D. Church.
		Nellie W. Hilton	**	22	S. Teacher	Boston, Ms.	Charles H. Hilton	Tyngsb'o, Ms.		1	Strafford
					liner		Emma McKenzie	Char., P. E. I.		-	Structure

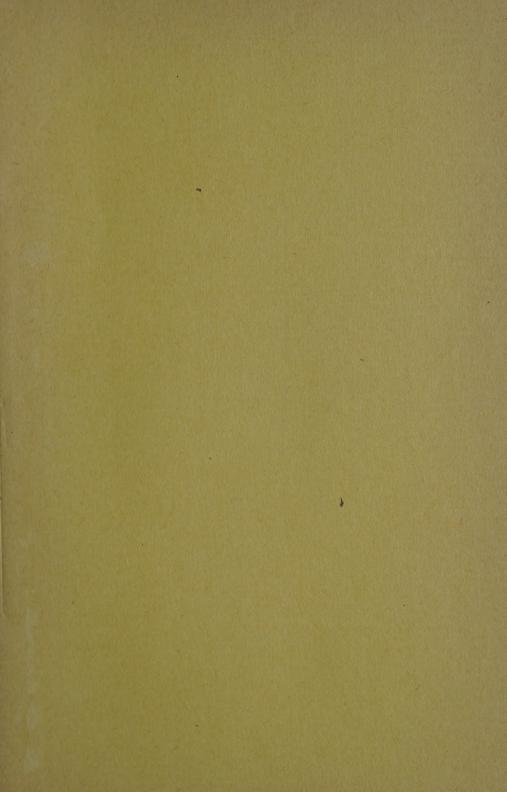
\*Whether first, second, third, etc., marriage.

### DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRAFFORD, N. H., FROM JAN. 1st, 1899, TO FEB. 14th, 1900.

Date			Age.	1		e, Mar'ed		Place	of Birth.	1 /		
	Place of	Name and Surname		Place of		dar ow					Maiden Name of	Disease, or Cause of
of Death.	Death.	of the Deceased.	Years. Months. Days.	Birth.	Sex. Color.	Single, A	Occupation.	Father.	Mother.	Name of Father.	Mother,	Death.
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1899	1			1	1 1 1		1	1	1	1	1	
			73 7 4		MW	M	Painter	Exeter	Ames. Ms.	Josiah Rollins	Flanders	Dropsy in Chest
19	66	Clara A. Hartford	43 10 10		F	W	Domestic	Rochest'r	Bar'ngt'n	Joseph S. Varney	Maria E. Felker	Maybus and Combinat'n
Feb. 5				Strafford	M	M	Farmer			Joseph Huckins	Sarah Waldron	Bright's Dis., Heart F.
18		Albert E. Brown	6 17			S		Strafford	Strafford	Leroy W. Brown	Bessie M. Tuttle	Congestion of Lungs
19 24				Bid'f'dMe. Newm'k't		MW	Retired	Derter	AT 17 17	Ed'nd R. Perkins	Mary E. Perkins	Paralysis
Mar. 6				Strafford	M	W	Domestic	Bar'ngt'n Strafford	Northw'd	Obediah M. Foss	Eliza Gerrish	Pneumonia
20			81 10	istranoru ii	66	W	Farmer	stranoru	Strofford	Eben'zer Hanson	Rathrine Johns'n	Bright's Dis., Encepha.
Apr. 20				Northw'd		M	16	Northw'd	Mid'let'n	Benjamin Hill	Deb. K.Whiteh'se	Pneumonia
21		Levi Miller	62 8 20	Croydon	46	55	46	l'orten a		Jonathan Miller		Complication, Pn'monia
June 2		George S. Evans		Strafford	66	66	66 I	1000		Ed Evans		Old Age
17			86 11 10		F	64	Domestic	Bar'ngt'n	Rochest'r	Thomas Johnson	Susy Gray	Simile, Heart Complica.
Aug. 13			71	Barnstead		S	Farmer			Jonathan Welsh	Nancy Durgin	Organic Disease Heart
31 16		Agnes M. Twombly Susan F. Yeaton		Strafford	F		Dunnatio	Strafford	Nashua	C. H. Twombly	Ada M. Moody	Cholera Infantum
Sept. 20		Azariah Foss	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	66	M	M	Domestic Farmer	66	Strafford	Joshua Haley	Mary Tanner	Chronic Gastritis, Heart
			69 11 20	4.6	F	w	Domestic	1		George Foss	Betsey Foss	Hyp. of Heart, Old Age
Oct. 11 8				Sandwich	M	S	Farmer		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Timothy Caswe'l		Erysepilas
28	44	John F. Hall		Strafford	66	w		4.6	66	Joseph Hall		Dis. of Heart, Cancer Stoppage
Nov. 1		Mary L. Daniels	40 9 12	Haver'lMs	F	M	Domestic	Hav'l, Ms.	Hav'l. Ms.	Charles P. Goss		Tuberculosis
Dec. 3		Mamie Bla'h Smart	5 22	Dover	<b>66</b>	S				Jos. Paillancourt	Lea Fanquoy	Bronchitis Inanition
5		Infant		Strafford	**	**		Strafford	Strafford	Eugene M. Foss		Stillborn
1900 9		Eugene C. Roberts	30 6 7		M	М	Blacksmith		N.Bedford	Tobias Roberts	Lucy A. Pease	Pneumonia
Feb. 12	ss	M'r'nda F. Hawkes	49 2 18	"	F	**	Housewife		Barnstead	John C. Pilsbury	Lydia D. Hall	Heart Disease

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. ELMER CLARK, TOWN CLERK.





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